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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the application of:

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Serial No.: 09/402,244

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For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR  
IDENTIFYING VARIATIONS IN  
HUMAN  $\alpha_{1B}$ - AND  $\beta_2$ - ADRENERGIC  
RECEPTOR GENES

Examiner: To Be Assigned

Group Art Unit: 5611

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for response to the Notification of Missing Requirement Under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated October 12, 2000. This extension will extend the time the response is due from November 12, 2000 to December 12, 2000.

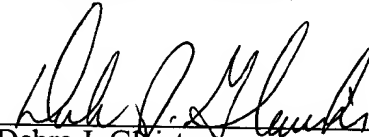
- ☒ A one month extension is requested; the extension fee is \$55.00.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$55.00 is attached.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this petition, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1952 referencing docket no. 220002058901.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: December 12, 2000

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